

## Message Text

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SUBJECT: COUNSELOR NIMETZ SENDS HIS CONGRATULATIONS TO  
SECRETARY-GENERAL OF PRESIDENCY BAYULKEN

REF: ANKARA 5167

1. PLEASE DELIVER THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO MR. BAYULKEN.  
SIGNED ORIGINAL WILL BE POUCHED.
2. BEGIN TEXT. DEAR SECRETARY GENERAL: I WELL RECALL THE CONVERSATION WE HAD IN MY OFFICE LAST MARCH. IT WAS VERY HELPFUL TO ME TO HAVE THE BENEFIT OF YOUR INSIGHT AND EXPERIENCE WITH RESPECT TO TURKISH-US RELATIONS.
3. IT GIVES ME GREAT CONFIDENCE THAT SUCH A WISE, EXPERIENCED AND TRUE FRIEND OF AMERICA AS YOURSELF HAS BEEN ASKED TO FILL THE SENSITIVE POSITION OF SECRETARY GENERAL TO THE PRESIDENT OF TURKEY. YOU HAVE MY WARM CONGRATULATIONS.

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TIONS AND BEST WISHES. I LOOK FORWARD TO OUR NEXT MEETING WHENEVER AND WHEREVER THAT MAY BE. SINCERELY, MATTHEW NIMETZ, COUNSELOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE. END TEXT.  
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